Natural Learning Initiative

# NEWSLETTER

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Support our mission in the year ahead to provide healthy outdoor environments for successful child development. Thank you for helping us make a positive impact in 2022!

Creating environments for healthy human development and a healthy biosphere for generations to come.

Check out the NLI Website!



#### **Spring Early Childhood Outdoor Learning Environments** certificate registration is now open!

Registration is open for the upcoming Spring section, February 14 - May 6, 2022. The self-paced online course consists of 8 modules and is worth 2.4 CEUs.



**Biophilic Design: Nature-Based Outdoor Design Solutions for All** Date: Thursday, February 3 Time: 2 - 3:15 p.m. EDT Speaker: Robin Moore, NLI

Register: education.playcore.com











#### **PlayCore Webinar**

NLI's Robin Moore will be presenting on Biophilic Design: Nature Based Solutions for All. Experience the research and inspiring international examples emphasizing nature's multiple positive impacts on health and wellbeing. This event provides a CEU.

### **Online Short Courses**

Register now for the Preschool Outdoor Environment Measurement Scale (POEMS) and Childcare Outdoor Learning Environments Quality Tool (COLEQT) training courses. Learn how these tools can be used to guide quality improvements in children's outdoor play and learning environments to promote healthy child development.





Tuesday, February 8th, 4pm (UK/Irish time) Emma Lawlor, University of Cambridge, UK



**Presentation:** Stakeholders experiences of developing and impand environmental interventions to promote active travel.

Note: This webinar is open to all, you do not have to be a PEN ECN membe

## **Policy Evaluation Network** (PEN) Webinar

NLI's Dr. Deepti Adlakha and Bria Sledge will be presenting on *Policies and practices* reconnecting children to nature as a part of PEN's Early Career Network Webinar Series on Tuesday, February 8th, 2022. Join them



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